House Resolution No. 491

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives occasionally pause in their diverse legislative endeavors in order to acknowledge the exceptional accomplishments of Show-Me State residents who admirably established and maintained a stellar reputation for excellence and selfless service throughout their long and illustrious lives; and

Whereas, Robert C. Jones was known as a sturdy bulwark of the St. Clair County Republican Committee which he supported for many years until his death on April 3, 2001; and

Whereas, Robert Jones was universally acclaimed as a man of principle and conviction who effectively saw St. Clair County through its financial difficulties and into solvency during his tenure as a Northside St. Clair County Commissioner from 1987 to 1990; and

Whereas, born on July 20, 1941, in Appleton City, Robert Jones enjoyed working outdoors, farming, and hunting when he was not actively engaged in worship at Trinity Lutheran Church, fulfilling his duties as Republican Committeeman for Appleton II Township, or serving on the Ellett Memorial Hospital Board, St. Clair County FSA Committee, and Appleton Special Road District Board; and

Whereas, a farmer, stockman, and active participant in the restoration of Moore School, Robert Jones was justifiably proud to be known as the loving husband of Katherine Hearting Jones and the beloved father of Stacie and Bobbi; and

Whereas, the late Robert Jones is also survived by his siblings, Darwin and Arma Lee Jones, Dale and Eva Jones, and Nadine and Carol Bartimus; sister-in-law Clayta Jones; aunts; nieces and nephews; many other relatives; and a wide group of true friends:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-first General Assembly, join unanimously to commend the lifelong political contributions of the late Robert Jones and to convey to all of his family members, friends, and colleagues this legislative body's sincerest appreciation of his longstanding support of the goals and aspirations of the St. Clair County Republican Committee; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution to recognize posthumously the achievements of the late Robert C. Jones.

Offered	Representative Delbert L. Scott
	District No. 119
Ninety-f certify th	reider, Speaker of the House of Representatives, irst General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do not the above is a true and correct copy of House on No. 491, adopted February 27, 2002.
Jim Kre	ider, Speaker